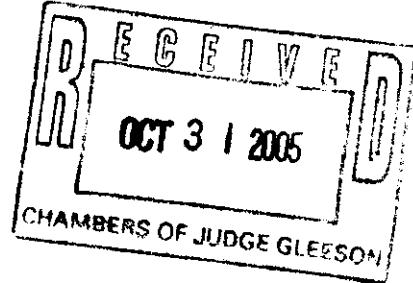


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Re: U.S. v. Meeyapillai Zawahir – CR-00-894 (JG)

Dear Judge Gleeson:

Our above-referenced client is scheduled for sentencing on November 18, 2005. I am actually engaged in a trial entitled JNK Grand v. Fenik, et al., index no. 602358/02, now pending before Justice Emily Goodman in New York County. The trial is anticipated to proceed through the Thanksgiving holiday. Since I will need time to prepare for the sentencing, I would respectfully request an adjournment to the early part of January, 2006.

I have conferred with Assistant United States Attorney Tanya Hill, who has consented to the adjournment.

If this is acceptable to the Court, please advise me as to the new date. Thank you.

Respectfully,


Mark L. Furman

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s/John Gleeson

